



the Complaints, Objections by Roads, and the Reductions Made.

Several Minor Officials Appointed by Governor Humphrey-New Corporations Chartered-News Items From Harrison, Ok. - Orime in the Territory-Minor State Notes.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 21 .- The board of railroad commissioners has issued its decision reaffirming that given on soft coal rates, suspended pending a rehearing. The lecision is as follows:

In the matter of coal rates over Kansas railroads, heretofore the subject of consideration by the board, the same have been brought up by complaint of the Leavenworth Coal company and a concur-rent resolution of the legislature of Kan-sas, adopted February 9, 1889, the board has carefully considered the propositions ubmitted by the railroad companies in-terested

On the 30th of March the board issued On the 30th of March the board issued an order in which was set forth what rates for the trausportation of soft coal over Kansa railroads from Leavenworth, Osage and southern Kansas coal fields, would, in the judgment of the board, be fair and reasonable. In that order a certified cony of the changes in existing coal tariffs which it was deemed necessary to make, was sent to each company whose tariff was affected by the order. It was further stated that the board had been advised in a communication addressed to it by the general freight agents representing the

On the Central Branch road reductions are proposed at seven stations, all west of the 99th meridian, at four a reduction of 10 cents, and the rest 20 cents per ton. The rates on the rest of the line will remain unchanged.

On the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road it is proposed that no reduction shall be made east of Great Bend. From that point for a distance of twenty-two miles west the reductions are from 10 to 15 cents, and from thence the reduction

west of the 100th meridian where the re-ductions are more material, Colorado and other western coals are used almost exmen for the first two weeks of May. The Cambria company's pay roll aggregates \$95,000, and the Gautier company \$54,000. Of the 5,400 employes of the Cambria company but 3,500 are now at work, and of the 1,500 formerly employed at the Gautier works but 950 are reported living. The Cambria company have shipped two consignments of rails manufactured since the disaster.

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RAPID STRIDES AT HARRISONpecial Dispatch to hie Daily Eagle.

HARRISON, Ok., June 21.—During the

past two weeks this town has made wonderful advancement. The class of buildings going up are of a most substantial character. Among the number may be mentioned some which have just been finished. Dr. L. Weston, formerly of Washington, has built large store room on Walnut street; I. T. Gilbert, a two-story hardware store on the corner of Canadian avenue and Walnut street; E. S. Holdridge, of Michigan, large store room on Walnut street; L. S. Warren, livery and sales stables on the corner of Morrell and Walnut street; C. E. Tappin, two-story building, Walnut street, A fine hotel 30x40, two stories high, on the corner of Walnut and Noble streets, is about ready for the roof. Eleven more building are in course of construction.

Hon. I. R. Latta, mayor of the city, formerly of Wellington, has left the city for Chicago to get married. Ou his return a grand reception will be tendered the happy couple by the citizens at the Harrison hotel.

A great many of the claims around here are being improved. A large amount of land has been broken and planted to corn. The splendid rains the past week have made the land in good condition for that purpose. A great around h

pose.

A territorial committee for this district is called for on the 22nd, to take some action regarding the proposed territorial convention called for at Guthrie on the 18th of July. The citizens will probably take action against, and concur with the action taken at Oklahoma City. The civil engineer here, O. H. S. Kennedy, has just completed a fine map of the city, which will soon be lithographed.

The EAGLE comes promptly in on the daily stage, and is regularly sought for.

Our merchants find they can do better to purchase their merchandise at Wichita than anywhere else. Large supplies of all kind are constantly arriving, and the merchants are pleased at the promising future

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MEETING OF THE CREEK COUNCIL. OKMULGEE, I. T., June 21.-The national council of the Muscogee or Creek nation met June 19 in extra session. Delegates present, Porter, D. M. Hodge and Esparreher submitted their reports, showing that they had drawn 10 per cent of the purchase they had drawn 10 per cent of the purchase money accruing to the Creek nation from the sale of Oklahoma lands, and paid the same to Samuel J. Crawford, attorney for the Creek nation. The question before the council is whether or not the delegates acted wisely in paying this money to Mr. Crawford after the contract between the Creek nation and Crawford had been can-celled by the secretary of the interior. It is uncertain as to what the result of the

while the difference in cost of transporting eastern products to western consumers is already considerable through-out the region north and west of Illinois. Better prices for iron are reported at Pittsburg, at Philadelphia, and to some extent here, the advance in many kinds of rig iron being about 50 cents per ton. But Northern No. I can still be bought here at \$16,506£18 00, and Southern No. 1 at \$16.25 The markets for manufactured products

are stronger and higher. In coal recent hopes have not been realized. It is even stated that the Reading company has not received a single order at the late advance, and sales below the schedule are reported at Philadelphia. Copper is unchanged, but tin is lower at 30 cents, production having been stimulated. Wool is rather stronger. Wheat has advanced 1% cents, with sales of 60,000,000 bushels here during the week. But this speculative mov-seems to take no account of the lac wheat and flour equivalent to about 40,000. 000 bushels in excess of a minimum stock will probably remain of the last stock July 1, added to a new supply, which now promises to exceed all requirements for States marshals, charged with murdering William Knott some time last January, near Purcell. He is also charged with stealing several horses, a wagon and several hundred dollars in money from his

SOLDIERS.

The Outrage Committed Without Provocation at Samama Bav---Official Investigation Pending.

Kansas Land Decisions, Postal Changes and Pensions Granted-

Prejudice New Mexico's Chances for Statehood-Army Orders -Capital Items-

Joseph Fisher, arrived here today from an Atlantic whaling voyage. Captain Fisher had a thrilling experience while at Samama bay, San Domingo, where he put in for water. He had previously visited the bay on February 6, and was boarded by the officer of the port, a general, who came on board with soldiers and inspected the vessel. On May 13 the schooner again visited the watering place. At 6 o'clock that evening five soldiers under command of an officer came down to the beach and fired ten to fifteen shots at the schooner. The soldiers were armed with good American rifles. When they began firing Captain Fisher was aft with the officers, and all hands except the steward were on deck. The first shot passed about a foot above the captain's head. The next two shots went among the crew standing on the windiass bits, passing close to two seamen. With the bullets flying about, the captain had no opportunity to show the American flag. The soldiers continued firing and Captain Fisher ordered all hands below and went down himself.

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acts. The power to accept acts. The power to accept the constitution adopted by a correject the constitution adopted by a territory when it seeks admission as a state, he holds is vested in congress.

"Congress," he continues, quoting from the supreme court decision in the case of the national bank vs. Yankton, "may not only abrogate the laws of the territorial only abrogate the laws of the territorial legislature, but it may legislate directly legislature, but it may legislate directly apoliging to Messar Cullom and Platt and the Faulkner, but not to me. The reading

dier orders that the parties in interest by allowed to make a further showing with a view of determining to whom repayment

WHOLE NO 1594 PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS

WASHINGTON. June 21.—The president made the following appointments today:
To be collectors of internal revenue, William Cassius Goodloe, for the seventh district of Kentucky; A. S. Wilberly, for SEAMEN FIRED UPON BY HAYTIEN the district of Louisiana; Henry M. Cooper,

the district of Louisiana; Henry M. Cooper, for the district of Arkansas.

William H. Dimond, to be superintendent of the mint of the United States at San Francisco.

Pearis R. Ellis, to be assayer of the mint of the United States at Carson, Nev.

Frank Mason, of Ohio, has been appointed consul general at Frankfort; Charles B. Trail, of Maryland, consul general at Marseilles, and H. G. Knowles, of Delaware, consul at Bordeaux.

HEAVY WIND AND RAIN.

GUTHRIE, Ok., June 21.—A heavy wind and rain storm swept over this part of the and rain storm swept over this part of the country yesterday evening. A number of tents and several shaky and hastily constructed buildings were blown down. A man on Capitel hill is reported killed by lightning. Snake creek to the south of town is out its banks, and that entire portion of town is a sheet of water from one to three feet deep.

THE OTTAWA CHATAUQUA. OTTAWA, Kan., June 2L - Glorious weather brought an immense crowd to the assembly today. It was Sam Jones' last appearance, and the country and surrounding cities poured in a stream of visitors. His sermon delighted and aroused the 8,000 who crowded the great taberna-

The educational department has over 1,500 students. The first grand concert by the assembly chorus-was given this evening with 500 voices. Madame Carrington, the distinguished soprano, and Miss Park, cornetist, thrilled the vast audience with their exquisite soles. The receipts show a larger attendance than any previous day.

DIDN'T PULL HIS EAR.

Senator Chandler Explains the Scene in Committee Room on February 22-

CONCORD, N. H., June 21. - Senator William E. Chandler on yesterday issued to the Republicans of New Hampshire over his own signature the following statement regarding his quarrel with Senator Blackourn in February last; "Mr. Sulladay during his characteristic speech at 'the caucus did not neglect to refer to the affair between Senator Blackburn and myself

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legislature, but it may legislature valid, and act of a territorial legislature valid, and valid one void."

He holds, in other words that congress has complete control of the matter when the territory seeks admission as a state and may then cure any defects that may exist in its constitution, which is in a sense a petition, the right of which is guaranteed in the constitution of the United States. apprehensive.

All accounts which report Mr. Black-All accounts which report ar back-burn as pulling my ear or dragging me from my chair or hauling me unresisting about the room, or represent me as begging-protection of the committee or in any way deprecating Mr. Blackburn's wrath are unique. The incident was more ludicrous

than dangerous.

Of course I understand very well that some Democrats wish to intimidate me and failing that to degrade me. To do this it will it will be necessary for them to adopt some more effective plan than that developed in the committee room on the 22d of February or next day and thereafter

BLACKBURN, OF COURSE, DESIES IT. LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 21. Senator card this morning stated to a Times reporter that Mr. Chandler's version was not correct. He declined to say anything fur-ther and remarked he would leave it to the three others who witnessed the diffi-culty to make a statement if they chose.

A ROW AT A PICNIC. Macox, Mo., June 21.-News has just

reached here of quite a tragedy that took place seven miles north of Monroe City, in Shelby county, between Westley Sparrows and his nephew, John Sparrows. were at a picule where dancing and re-freshments were the order of the day. A that portion of Kansas, where they could become effective in the reduction of the reduction of the project of call to the consumer. Now it may be reducted the project of the project of call to the consumer. Now it may be reducted the project of the consumer. Now it may be reduced the project of the projec

123 to 127 N. Main Street. Ladies' Muslin Underwear FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

During these two days we will offer our entire stock of Ladies Muslin Underwear at a DEEP CUT from our regular prices. Remember this cut is not on a few things, but on everything in the Muslin Underwear stock.

We will also have displayed for your choosing some choice bargains in Gauze, Jersey Ribbed and Silk Warm Weather Un-derwear. Don't miss this sale Friday and Saturday, on second

THE GREAT SPECIAL SALE BLACK LACE FLOUNCINGS

AND THE UNEQUALED HOSIERY SALE

Lasts During This Week.

The White Nainsooks at 5c,

Can't be had elsewhere.

The French Sateens at 19c, The Hemmed Embroidered Flouncings at 75c

Silk Umbrellas, gold tipped, at \$1.25. The Children's Fine Fast Black Hose at 15c. The Fine Outing Cloth at 9c.

Special cut prices on fine silks this week. Our 50 cent and \$1 corsets have no equal. 35 cent sateens reduced to 25 cents. Gauze flannels for infants' underwear. The largest linen stock in Kansas.

One Case of Good Dress Ginghams at 52c.

MUNSON & MCNAMARA.

THE G. A. R. RATE QUESTION. KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 21.-The following letter was received at the G. A. R.
•he dquarters yesterday, and from its tenor it would seem that the difficulties in the way of cheap transportation to Milwaukes for the G. A. R. encampment will proba-CENTRAL TRAFFIC ASSOCIATION,)

Dear Sir-I have your favor of the 17th inst., regarding excursion rates for the anmaal encampment of the Grand Asmy of the Republic at Milwaukee in August next, with a request that a rate of not more than I cent per mile be made for the

I beg to advise you that so far as this association is concerned it has not named any rate, but the subject is under discus-sion at the present time, and I trust that a rate will be named for the occasion which e perfectly satisfactory to you. Very yours, B. F. KNAPP,

Secretary. NARROWLY ESCAPED DROWNING. Minneapolis, Minn., June 21. - Miss Maggie Harrison, of Chicago, niece of President Harrison, narrowly escaped drowning at Lake Minnetonka yesterday afternoon through the capsizing of a boat in a gale. The sailing party who were capsized consisted of Miss Harrison, Miss Breckenridge of St. Louis, Miss Alice Nye of Ironton, and Miss Lillian Hard. The gentlemen were George Hard, of this city. Charles S. Hard of Chicago, and the owner of the yacht, Frank Nickels. The party were in the water an hour, and were were in the water an hour, and were nearly exhausted when rescued.

FELL FOUR STORIES. KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 21.-Patrick Duffy, a laborer employed in the construc-tion of the Massachusetts building at Eighth and Wall streets, fell from the fourth story to the basement this morning and was instantly killed.

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Pairs of Ladies' Genuine Hand-Turned Button Shoes at \$2.15. Our regular price is \$3.50.

OUR MEN'S

HAND MADE SHOES

We are not after profit, as these goods cost more to manufacture them.

SHOBER'S,

Are still here.

podies of two men, a 16-year-old girl and a 6-year-old girl were discovered about 190 yards above the same place. All were shot in the back except the child, which was straugled. Near by were found the re-mains of burned trunks and camp equip-ment. Everything by which the bodies could be identified was destroyed. Nobody

in the Judith country has recognized the bodies. They are supposed to have been a family of emigrants from lowa or Illinois. The whole of Judith country is aroused and a hundred horsemen are scouring the plains seeking the trail of the murderers. The place where the deed was committed is 100 miles from a railroad, which, it is supposed the murderer is trying to reach,

THE DAY AT JOHNSTOWN. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 21.-The weather here is remarkably fair and pleasant today and work on the wreckage has been

generally resumed. About 2,000 men are generally resumed. About 2,000 men are at work of the McKnight-Flynn crowd, and about 500 who have been discharged are walking about the place seeking work from some of the contractors. The authorities have refused to furnish transportation to the strikers who desire to leave here and consequentla but few will leave.

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tier Steel company are today paying their men for the first two weeks of May. The

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at Whipple Barracks, Ariz.

Private James G. Ellis, Co. F. Nineteenth infantry, now with his company at Fort Clark, Tex. is transferred to the hospital corps as a private and assigned to duty at Jackson Barracks, I.a.

Companyate Servant Henry Steinbred

Commissary Sergeant Henry Steinbrack will be releived from duty at Fort Mc-Dowell, Ariz., and proceed without delay to Fort Canby, W. T. to Fort Canby, W. T.

The superintendent of the recruiting service will cause thirty recruits to be assignen to the First infantry and forwarded to the department of California.

A HEAVY STORM. DECATUR, Ill., June 21.- A frightful storm prevailed in the central part of Illinois last night and was simply terrifying 312 EAST DOUGLAS AVE. in this section. For two hours rain poured down in torrents and the streets were rivers of water. The thunder and lightning state to months.

SOFT COAL RATES. other problem that does not admit of such easy solution. It is this: Coals brought from points in lowa and Missouri from 100 to 200 miles further than Leavenworth from the same charge per ton, and Kansas railroads get simply their proportion of the through haul. If it pays to transport coal from Huntsville, Bevier and Rich Hill, Mo., and Eldon, Ia., at rates for 200 miles varying from ₹1.45 to ₹1.80 per ton, why is it that the same railroads will lose money, or not make the actual cost of the service out of rate, from a Kansas mine for the same distance, of from ₹2.20 to ₹2.40 per ton. There has been no answer furnished to us of this question, and we must confess that we are not sufficiently ingenious to devise one; and yet we feel that it is incumbent to return a satisfactory answer to that question if we deny the Leavenworth complaint. In revising these rates we have not

plaint.

In revising these rates we have not reduced them to the level of those we have mentioned from other states into this, fixed by the voluntary action of the railroads, but our aim has been to obviate just ground for complaint of unjust discrimination.

After a careful review of the work we are unable to reach any other conclusion that that the rates indicated by us in the

that that the rates indicated by us in the order of March 30 last, are fair and reason-able and should be adopted in lieu of existing rates.
It is therefore ordered that the rates fixed by the board become effective July

By the board. TOPEKA, Kan., July 17, 1889.

BIG PENSION PAYMENTS. TOPEKA, Kan., June 21.—A voucher was issued today from the United States pension office in this city for \$8,025.27, payable to Mrs. Ferdinandine Brimmer, of St. Louis. This is the largest sum ever paid Louis. This is the largest sum ever paid to a widow by this department. Another voucher in the sum of \$5,388 was also issued to Mrs. Margaret Diebold, of Woolman, Mo. Over 6,000 pensioners remain unpaid at this agency and they will be compelled to wait until July 1, when the next appropriation becomes available. About 1,500 claims were paid today. These were vouchers which were sent at the proper time, but were returned for correction.

APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR. TOPEKA, Kan., June 26,-Gov. Humphrey made the following appointments today; Vincent Rosemore, 271 Broadway, New York, commissioner of deeds for Kansas in New York; W. A. Thomson, Scott City, sheriff of Scott county, to fill

at on, the reduction east of the 99th meridian being but slight.

The proposition made by the railroad companies contempiates no reduction east of the 99th meridian, and from that line for the distance of ninety-three miles west of the Union Pacific railway a reduction of 10 cents per ton, and from thence west the reductions increase. the whereabouts of the missing lady. Prior to leaving home Mrs. Mears had given no sign of any unusual derangement, but her absence has caused the greatest alarm, and fears are entertained fatigue and exposure may be her death. Parties are out in every dire for the unfortunate woman.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

An Arrest in the Chickasaw Nation in Connection with a Disappearance.

GAINESUILLE Tex June 21 -R J Sykes 0 years old, was arrested in the Chickasaw nation and brought here by deputy United States marshals, charged with murdering

victim.

Sykes came via the Indian Territory from Kansas and met Knott, who had just arrived from Oregon. The two built a cabin on the banks of the South Canadian river for the purpose of stopping there till the time arrived for entering Oklahoma, when each was to go there and take up claims. In a short time Knott mysteriously disappeared and Sykes was slightly represented the process of the south take up claims. In a short time Knott mysteriously disappeared and Sykes was slightly represented to the prices in the prices in the price is still 15 cents for December options against 9% cents a year ago and operators wonder that the public does not buy. Fork, lard and hogs are a fraction lower. Sugar unchanged for this week, and leather % cent higher for some grades.

the quicksand. There are a number of witnesses accompanying the prisoner, who will be taken to Paris for trial, and they such the coal rate over Kansas railroads with the complaints complaint compares the complainants believe themselves entitled to substantially the same rates in this state. It would of course be utterly impossible in the present condition of things to concede such a demand. It cost as much to build and maintain railroads in Kansas as Illinois or Iowa, yet the traffic both of coal and other freights a nearly down.

AMERICANS WRONGED.

Several Presidential Appointments Made-

The Attorney General Decides That Ab-sence of an Enabling Act Does Not

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., June 21.-The chooner Baltic, of Provincetown, Captain

KANSAS MATTERS AT THE CAPITAL. WASHINGTON, June 21.—The assistant secretary modifies the decision of the general land office in the case of D. De Witt Wintamute, who applies for repayment of purchase money by assignee or entryman, untrue. purchase money by assignee of entryman, the land involved being the southeast quarter of section 27, township 36 south, range 23 west, Gurden City Kan, land district. The land lies in Ford county, Kan, and the original entryman was William M. White, now a resident of St. Louis Mo. White settled upon the land in 1822, but did not make a final proof and assigned these country therefore will. payment therefor until January, 1885. In April, 1886, he sold the land to Winta-mute. In August, 1887, the general land office ordered new notice and new proof on the ground that the original proof was not made at the time and place advertised. White, who had removed to St. Louis, seems not to have received this order, and as the proof was suspended and title withheld from Wintamute, the latter ap-plies for repayment of the purchase money \$205.16. Assistant Socretary Chan-

The following postmaster was appointed for Kansas Annelly, Harvey county, William D. Blythe, vice James C. Kirkwood, resigned. Enliway postal clerks, between Kaussas City, Mo. and Seneca, Kan., are ordered to extend the run to end at Summerfield, Kan, increasing the distance twenty-one miles, and making the whole distance of